

**PATENT APPLICATION**

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In re the Application of

Manabu UEDA et al.

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For: DIALOGUE SUPPORT SYSTEM, DEVICE, METHOD AND PROGRAM

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
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